

REMARKS

Claims 1 to 27 are currently pending in the application. No claims have been cancelled, withdrawn or added. Applicants do not amend any claims in this paper.

Request for Information Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.105

The Examiner requests the following information under 37 C.F.R. § 1.105:

1. "Because it is difficult to search for remote ordering systems capable of ordering hardware for cartons, ordering of labels or markers for electrical devices claims 9 and 12. In particular, is the remote ordering systems capable of ordering hardware for cartons, ordering of labels or markers for electrical devices known to those of ordinary skill in the art or was this invented by Applicants?" (Office Action at page 2).
2. "In response to this requirement, please provide the title, citation and copy of each publication that is a source used for the equation. In response to this requirement, please provide any known document that utilizes this equation or uses a significant part of the equation." *Id.*

In response to the Examiner's requests, Applicants provide the following. Responsive to the Examiner's first request, Applicants have invented various embodiments of a system for receiving, gathering, formatting, transferring, tracking and reporting various engineering and product information related to at least a portion of a construction project as specifically recited in the pending claims. Applicants are unaware of any other such systems exhibiting the claimed capabilities.

Responsive to the second request, Applicants are unclear as to the Examiner's reference to "the equation." No citation or reference to the specification or claims is included. Applicants provided a list of those references relevant to the technology of the claimed invention of which they are aware in an Information Disclosure Statement dated March 9, 2004.


Applicants submit this response in a good faith effort to comply with the Examiner's request for information as best they understand it. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the merits of the application in light of this response.

Conclusion

Applicants invite the Examiner to contact their undersigned attorney if prosecution of this application can be so facilitated. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the application and the issuance of an Office Action on the merits of the claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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